## Committee on Transportation and the Environment Agency Performance Oversight

## **Submitting Testimony:**

- Written testimony: If you are unable to testify at the public hearing, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record; testimony may be submitted to abenjamin@dccouncil.us. Testimony received prior to the close of the record will be made part of the official record.
- Voicemail testimony: The public may also leave voicemail testimony for the Committee by calling (202) 350-1344, which will be transcribed and made part of the hearing record. Members of the public leaving voicemail testimony should speak slowly and clearly, state their full name and the organization they represent, if any, and note the name of bill, roundtable, or agency that they are submitting testimony on. Members of the public are asked to not provide an e-mail, phone number, or other person contact information in voicemail testimony.
- Hearing Record: The hearing record will close 14 days after the hearing date.

## **Testifying Live:**

- Due to the imminent threat to the health, safety, and welfare of District residents posed by the spread of the coronavirus, the Council has adapted the methods by which committees may hold public hearings and hearings to comply with social distancing, large public gatherings, and other public health and safety requirements. Therefore, the Committee on Transportation and the Environment's performance oversight and budget oversight hearings will be held remotely through the Zoom teleconferencing platform.
- Anyone wishing to testify should contact Ms. Aukima Benjamin, Staff Assistant to the Committee on Transportation and the Environment, at least one business day prior to the start of the hearing, at (202) 724-8062 or via e-mail at <a href="mailto:abenjamin@dccouncil.us">abenjamin@dccouncil.us</a>; witnesses will receive information on how to join the hearing at that time.
- Witnesses who anticipate needing language interpretation, or requiring sign language
  interpretation, are requested to inform the Committee of the need as soon as possible but
  no later than five business days before the hearing. We will make every effort to fulfill
  timely requests, however requests received in less than five business days may not be
  fulfilled and alternatives may be offered.

## **Viewing Hearings:**

• Hearings may be viewed live at https://www.facebook.com/cmmarycheh/